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WANTED.—A man to canvass the business of this city. Quick work and big money. Apply early to 67 Fort street. sep11

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SPECIAL.

MRS MACK—Ladies' nurse after confinement. Address, No. 80 Chatham street. aug9-tf

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CANADIAN DISPATCHES

Funeral of the Victims of the Landslide—The Wreck of the Lily.

A Great Whiskey Trust in Ontario—American News, &c., &c.

Quebec, Sept. 23.—The Ship Laborers' Society, numbering seven hundred men, headed the funeral procession to-day of the victims of the recent landslide. Following these were the hearses containing the bodies of Thomas Farrell, Thomas Farrell's three children, Richard Leahey, Mrs. Richard Leahey, Michael Deehy, Chas. Allen, Mrs. Chas. Allen, Miss Allen, Mrs. Stephen Burke and her two children, Mrs. Michael Bradley and daughter, Eliza Bradley, Margaret Welch, Mrs Ready, Mrs. Kemp and Mr. Kemp. Then came a vast concourse of the most distinguished citizens. At St. Patrick's church, where divine services took place, the coffins were placed in a row. Twenty-one bodies were deposited in the vault prior to final burial.

FUTURE PROTECTION.

Sir Hector Langevin, Minister of Public Works, accompanied by General Cameron and Major Mayne, visited the scene of the disaster this afternoon. The gentlemen were visibly impressed with what they saw there. They found the adjacent rocks suspended at the cliff's side to be looking rather dangerous. Engineers will, in company with city engineers, hold a survey of the heights and report to the Minister of Public Works as to the condition and danger of the same; also the best means to prevent a further disaster.

Two hundred men were actively working at the debris and some more corpses are expected to be found shortly.

THE N. W. CENTRAL SALE.

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—There is said here to be excellent authority for the statement that the Northern Pacific Railway Company is the real purchaser of the reported big railway deal, out of which the owners of the Northwest Central Railway's charter are reported to have made £2,000,000 by the sale of their interests to an English company and that the English company has been used as a blind. The Northern Pacific Company, if it has secured this charter, will gain control of one of the richest and finest regions of the Canadian Northwest.

THE JOGGINS' RAFT.

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—Articles of incorporation of the Joggins Raft Company, to handle Canadian and American lumber on the Pacific coast, have been filed. The paid up capital is $300,000 with a power to double that amount. Mr. C. D. Spreckles and Colonel Donahue, of San Francisco, are the leading promoters. Each cigar-shaped raft will contain 12,000,000 feet.

THE MODUS VIVENDI.

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—The modus vivendi in connection with the fisheries treaty negotiated at Washington in 1888 expires in February next. It gives licenses and other privileges to American fishermen. The American government, it is understood, has not yet entered into negotiations for a settlement of the fishery question. If no willingness to do so is expressed in due course, Canada, it is believed here, will have no other alternative than to revert to the treaty of 1818. Canada cannot take the initiative in seeking a settlement in view of the rejection of last year's treaty by the United States senate.

WRECK OF THE LILY.

Halifax, Sept. 21.—The warship Pylades has been ordered to the wreck of the Lily at Armor Point, in the Straits of Belle Isle. At the time the Lily was driven on the rocks a terrible storm prevailed. The seven men who lost their lives were in one of the boats, which was capsized by the heavy sea running at the time. On the arrival of the Emerald with the shipwrecked crew, some of them will be sent to England and others quartered in the barracks at the dockyard, while some will be shipped on other warships.

DENIES IT.

Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 23.—Somerville, M. P., who has sold the Dundas *Banner* to Alex. Pirie of the Montreal *Star* denies the report that he is going to Rochester.

KENSINGTON, P. E. I. BURNED.

Halifax, Sept. 21.—News was received here this afternoon that the business portion of Kensington, P. E. I., was wholly destroyed by fire. Lost estimated at $75,000; insurance, $70,000.

CONSERVATIVES ANXIOUS.

Montreal, Sept. 23.—Langevin and Chapleau have been in the city holding a consultation with the Richelieu Conservatives over the election to be held in that county on October 18th. The Tory leaders regard the situation in the county with some anxiety. Their nominating convention is to be held on Tuesday.

THE TRADE QUESTION.

The Globe Thinks the Government Will Make a Somersault.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—The *Globe* says: "Evidence that the American people will consent to unrestricted reciprocity accumulates rapidly," and adds: "The greatness of the influence of the Drummonds, Gurneys, and other tax-receiving concerns over the ministry is to be fairly measured by the fact that the ministry have stood solidly for nearly three years against the popular demand, and are only now beginning to give signs of unwilling repentance. Sir John probably has been brought to understand he cannot get safely through another general election unless he obtains continental free trade or a very close approximation thereto."

The Montreal *Gazette* has an editorial which is considered by the *Globe* correspondent to foreshadow a somersault by the government on the trade policy.

AMERICAN NEWS.

A WIFE'S CRIME.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—Ex-officer McDonald, who until a few days ago was stationed in 13th street district, was shot and fatally wounded by his wife about 7 o'clock this morning. They quarrelled about money and Mrs. McDonald seized her husband's revolver and fired three shots, all of which had effect, one passing between the shoulder blade and the other above the left hip, while the third passed through the left hand. McDonald was taken to the county hospital, where it was said he could not recover. Mrs. McDonald has been arrested.

MARINE.

San Francisco, Sept. 23.—Arrived—Steamer Empire from Departure Bay; bark Arcturus from Seattle. Sailed—Rufus E. Wood for Nanaimo.

BOUND TO HAVE THE FAIR.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Chicago is preparing a surprise for Congress in connection with the world's fair project. By the time the senators and representatives are ready to take up the question of locating the fair, Chicago will fire a broadside at them in the shape of $10,000,000 pledged as a guaranty fund, a site selected, plans drawn, information collected by a study of the greatest expositions of the old world, engineers appointed, and all matters arranged so that as soon as Congress gives the word the work of letting contracts for constructing the buildings can be commenced. This line of action was decided upon at a meeting of the executive committee yesterday afternoon.

FIRE ON BOARD.

New York, Sept. 23.—The freight steamer Nashua of the Providence line was discovered on fire soon after she drew to the dock at North River this morning. The fire had considerable headway, but was well under control at 11 o'clock. It was confined to the hold of the big steamer. Officials of the line estimate the damage to the steamer at about $50,000. Damage to the cargo is mainly by water. Cause of the fire is unknown.

RAILWAYS SETTLE.

Missoula, Mont., Sept. 23.—The suits entered here by the Northern Pacific and Washington and Idaho railroads in their fight for right of way, are being compromised. It was feared long litigation would delay construction of the Oregon Railway & Navigation line through Missoula county, to a proposed connection with the Manitoba. A commission was appointed to-day by Judge DeWolfe in one suit involving most of the property, and it is reported that suits of both companies will be withdrawn and the matter settled by arbitration.

KILLED AT SEA.

San Francisco, Sept. 23.—The British ship Thirlmere, which arrived from Antwerp this morning, reports that on May 11th, A. W. Spencer, an apprentice, and an able bodied seaman named Cadio, were both instantly killed by a falling sail.

SECTIONAL ORGAN.

Washington, Sept. 23.—The *Post* today prints a circular issued by the World's Fair committee in St. Louis and sent to members of Congress and officers of commercial organizations in the Southern States. It is intended to excite a sectional spirit by appealing to Southern prejudice against the north and east.

CHURCH BURNED.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., Sept. 23.—St Joseph's Catholic church was discovered on fire at midnight and before the flames were under control the church and its contents were totally destroyed. The fire is a sequel to an intensely bitter fight which has been raging between the French and German Catholics of Polk county for six months. The fire was the work of an incendiary, as men first at the scene claim they saw a three gallon can of oil underneath the altar.

WHISKY COMBINATION.

Combination of Canadian Distilleries under one Management.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 21.—A "deal" of great magnitude is in sight, and although Hiram Walker, the only person here who is interested denies it, the report is absolutely true. A gentleman who has been interested with Walker in his various schemes is the authority for the statement. Some time ago Hiram Walker, who owns the great distillery in Walkerville, just across the river from Detroit, and has 3,000,000 gallons of whiskey in his warehouse, conceived the scheme of a combination of distillers in Canada under one management. He associated with him J. P. Wiser, a large distiller, and Gooderham & Worts of Toronto. They decided to send representatives to England to confer with English capitalists and form the trust. Mr. Walker's son was accompanied by J. P. Wiser. It is a fact that the men are now in England, accompanied by one of the ablest lawyers in Canada, and it is probable that the "deal" has been made. It is said to be one of the largest money transactions of recent times. Every barrel of whiskey in Canada will be bought, and the distilleries will go with it. The duty on the whiskey which Walker and Gooderham & Worts now own will amount to over $3,000,000.

THE HOG LAW.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I see the government have a party of men repairing the roads in the vicinity of Cedar Hill. The roads want mending bad enough, but what is the use of doing anything to them while certain parties are allowed to run pigs on them, to root and destroy them as fast as the men fix them. I believe there is a law prohibiting hogs from running at large. It is rather rough on ratepayers to have to pay taxes for the benefit of one or two individuals. In the winter the roads will be almost impassable and some one will get killed or hurt with buggies or wagons turning over. Who is to blame? RATEPAYER.

BEACON HILL PARK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I am handled without gloves by a writer R.H.W., in your issue of the 20th, which did not come under my notice until Saturday. *Moosback-ism* is the mildest term used, because I happen to differ with him on a question of landscape gardening! Is "R.H.W." getting jealous? I humbly thank him for his advice about "public man" and in return assure him in the event of his seeking a public trust, I will not contest it with him. I have not the intellect. Therefore, if "R. H. W." from the height of the empyrean where his lofty soul dwells, which is, I suppose, what he means by "over head and ears above" me, will notify me even by a nod, I will retire. The result would be too ridiculously mortifying for me. Any serious argument with this opponent would be quite out of place. Yours,

EDWD MALLANDAINE.

GRANITE CREEK RECORDER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Perhaps some of your readers would like to know how we are getting along on Granite Creek, and so we take occasion to write you some particulars of the place. On Monday evening, the 2nd inst., the miners of the creek and river assembled at the residence of our late recorder, Mr. Irwin, to bid him and his amiable wife a kindly good bye on their departure for Nicola, and also to present Mrs. Irwin with a testimony of the respect in which they held her and her family. The presentation was made by T. H. Murphy in his usual felicitous manner. In the course of his remarks he referred feelingly to the harmony and good feeling that had existed between the mining community and the recorder's office, and also said the absence of litigation was mainly due to having a man in charge of the records who identified himself with the interests of the camp and whose well known probity and honesty of purpose made his advice of great value to the people. Other speakers followed, all of whom denounced the course of the government in ignoring the wishes of the people and placing the destinies of the camp in the hands of sheep herders and cattle men, all hands feeling and perhaps with justice that a grasshopper sufferer from the rural district of Nicola should not be prefered to a miner in exercising the duties of a mining office.

If you would kindly let the country know with what ungloved care the government is fostering the mining industries of this place you would do us a kindness. MANY MINERS.

Granite Creek, 5th Sept., 1889.

FRENCH ELECTIONS.

A Republican Majority Believed to be Elected—Large Boulangist Vote.

Wilkie Collins Dying—Chinese Immigration Prohibited in Ecuador.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Havre, Sept. 23.—9-40 p. m.—We are waiting for information from Paris, but can already announce two Republicans elected at Havre and one at Rouen. Paris reports Lagnerre and Farcy elected. The following is from Paris: There is a ballot between Yves Guiot and several others, and also that Boulanger is elected at Clignan Court.

10 p. m.—Boulanger is elected by a majority of two hundred. Brisson is elected against General Thibaudin. Floquet, Andrieux, Rochefort, Lour and Theviset are also elected.

As yet Paris is quiet. The Boulevards are crowded and cheers for Boulanger find no echo.

The following are the results as known up to now: 252 Republicans, 165 Monarchists, and Boulangist's ballots 159.

Up to 7 o'clock this morning official returns have been received from 536 divisions of which the republicans have carried 217 and the revisionists 153. In the remaining 166 there has been no choice and re balloting will be necessary.

Among the prominent republicans elected are: Faillieres, Jebott, Jules Roche, Grant, Develle, Dischaneaux, Barbe, Sarrien and Reinacht. The opposition elected De Cassagnac, Laton, Fould, Hassmann, Godelle, Languinais, Const, and Domin. In 127 of the districts to be recontested, the result of the second ballot will probably be favorable to the republicans, and in the remaining 39 the opposition candidates are likely to be successful. This estimate is made by republicans themselves who also rely upon their ability to secure ten contested seats and thus hold 354 seats in the Chamber. Everybody in official circles appears to believe that a republican majority is assured, which though not large will be more compact and more homogeneous than the government majority of the last chamber.

WILKIE COLLINS SINKING.

London, Sept. 23.—The condition of Wilkie Collins, the novelist, is worse this morning. His mind is wandering and the end is close at hand.

SHORT AND SWEET.

London, Sept. 23.—Ecuador has prohibited the immigration of Chinese.

RESULT OF THE STRIKE.

Great Falling Off in Consumption of Beer and Spirits.

One class of London business men will feel the results of the strike for some time to come. The beer and spirits shops around the interested districts have nearly all experienced a falling off in trade, and several have been foreclosed by the brewers to whom they belong. The exceptions have been the houses of call of the more prominent leaders, and these have had only a fair run of trade. It is due to John Burns and his co-operators to say that they urged the men on strike to shun all use of stimulants, and their wishes very happily have been taken. It is partly for this reason, perhaps, that the *Advertiser*, organ of the licensed victuallers, does not think much of Burns and sees nothing but the most gloomy prospect in store for the future commerce of London.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Foot-Racing—Unique Game of Base Ball—General Notes.

Articles of agreement have been drawn up and signed between Tom Watson, champion sprinter of the Pacific coast, and H. E. Peck, of Nanaimo, for a foot-race, distance 200 yards, for $200 a side. The first deposit of $50 was made on Saturday night, $50 more is to be put up in two weeks, and the balance on the day of the race. Peck, who is one of the fastest 100 yard runners on the coast, has the naming of the place of the race, which will probably be the Driving Park. This race is for blood.

WELLINGTON SPRINTERS.

John Love and Ed. Bailey, two fleet Wellington sprinters, will try conclusions on October 3rd, in a 100-yard race for $100 a side, to be run near Wellington.

NANAIMO FOOT-BALLISTS.

The *Free Press* understands that it is in contemplation to arrange a second foot-ball team without delay. The secretary has placed himself in communication with the Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster clubs, and it is probable that matches will be arranged with them shortly.

JAMES BAY VS. WELLINGTON.

The Wellington baseball nine, although defeated by the James Bay nine on Saturday, are to be praised for their pluck in tackling a nine which is one of the best in the province. The game was a pitcher and catcher game, Jackson striking out 19 of the Wellingtons. A feature of the batting was Gouge's long hit to the fence. For the losers Pope, in centre field, made two beautiful catches, and others did fairly well. Appended is the score:

JAMES BAY.	AB	R	WELLINGTONS.	AB	R
Gouge	5	2	Riley	4	0
Hanson	4	2	Douglas	4	0
Jackson	4	2	Love	4	0
Widdowson	4	0	Kennedy	4	0
Mount	4	0	Sanders	4	0
Wolfenden	4	1	Mansel	4	0
Naylor	4	1	Pope	4	0
Desaf	4	1	Lonstaff	4	0
Franklin	4	1	McKenzie	4	0
Total	37	10	Total	36	0

Struck out by Jackson 19, by Riley, 7. Two base hits, Gouge and Hanson. Home on balls, James Bay, 3; Wellingtons, 1. Passed balls, Douglas, 3; Hanson, 1. Double plays, Jackson to Widdowson. Umpire, Edwards.

LACROSSE.

Montreal, Sept. 21.—The championship lacrosse game was played to-day between the Montreal club and Cornwall, and won by Montreal, who took the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 7th games.

WHISPERS OF THE WIRES.

The earnings of the Canadian Pacific for the week ending Sept. 14, were $217,000; for the same week last year $226,000.

William Herrick was run over by a loaded lorry in the Canada Lumber Company's yard, Carleton Place, and received fatal injuries.

The surrounding districts at Quebec are beginning to report a second crop of strawberries and other fruits; flowers are also in bloom a second time.

The reports of the East End union, in whose charge was given the distribution of funds contributed in aid of the striking dock laborers, are published. These amount to the respectable sum of £40,000.

Considerable irritation is expressed at Berlin at the action of Russia in raising the duties on all goods entering the Empire from Germany. The increased duties have not yet taken effect, but it is reported that all Imperial ukase has been promulgated ordering the advance.

B. F. Hutchinson, or "Old Hutch," the famous Chicago millionaire, whose manipulation of the wheat market a year ago last May netted a million a day for about a week, was held up by two footpads lately and robbed. With a revolver at his head, Mr. Hutchinson was compelled to submit to having his pockets searched. The robbers, however, secured but 15 cents, much to their disgust.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C.)

Five prisoners were in the dock this morning when His Honor took his seat at 11:30.

Chas. Trotter pleaded guilty to being drunk on Yates street, and was fined $5 and costs, which he paid forthwith.

Thos. Lovell, same charge, also pleaded guilty, and received the regulation fine.

Ah Sing, charged with the larceny of a stereoscope and stereoscope views, of the value of $5, from the Oriental hotel.

J. P. Walls appeared for the prisoner and asked for an adjournment, in order to obtain time to look into the case.

A tiresome discussion ensued as to who would pay the interpreter if the case were adjourned, His Honor holding that Mr. Walls' client should pay that official, to which he agreed. Mr. Walls asked for an adjournment for a week, as he was going shooting to-morrow and he didn't want to be disappointed, and His Honor generously granted.

Mr. Walls asked that bail be fixed.

"Pay the interpreter," said His Honor.

"Pay the interpreter," repeated Mr. Walls, casting his eyes on a crowd of Mongolians in the court room. One of the celestials paid over $2 50 in silver coin, which in turn was passed to Ah Wing, the interpreter, and His Honor proceeded to fix the bail at $150.

Alex. Rippert was charged with the larceny of $100 from one Stamp, a Nootka Sound Indian.

Sergt. Walker said that Stamp, who is a sealer, had given the captain of the schooner the money to keep for him. During the night the locker in which the money was placed was broken open and the money stolen. Stamp thereupon had the mate, Rippert, arrested. There was no evidence to show that the prisoner was guilty. The officer who arrested him had no right to do so.

The magistrate told Stamp he had better see a lawyer, who would put him in the way to obtain his money.

Officer Lindsay, Chinook interpreter, explained that Stamp had seen the prisoner break open the locker and take the money.

This altered the aspect of affairs and Stamp was sworn, Officer Lindsay interpreting. Very little headway was made with the witness and Officer Lewis was asked to interpret.

"What about the fee?" said Officer Lewis.

"Oh," remarked His Honor, "you are in court doing nothing, and we might as well make use of you."

Stamp's evidence was of a very mass factory nature, but it was to the effect that he saw the prisoner break open the locker and take the money.

After hearing the evidence of Captain Neilson, of the schooner Kate, the case was remanded until to-morrow.

James Dadley was charged with rape on the person of Lavinia P. Prier on the night of Sept. 21st inst.

His Honor informed the prisoner that this was a very serious matter, and the penalty was death or imprisonment for life or not less than seven years.

The prisoner said he had no lawyer and would like to have counsel.

The case was adjourned until Wednesday.

English Bay Lots.

The sale of city lots on Claim No. 1003 English Bay, will be held to-morrow night, beginning at 8 o'clock, at the Oriental hotel. The property is situated near the proposed docks for the China steamships, and is the most valuable now in the market. The land, it will be remembered, is claimed by the C. P. R. Co., but is held by Mr. Greer, who has fought the company through half a dozen lawsuits and is ready for another. The legislature has also decided in his favor, twenty-three members of the house voting in favor of perfecting his title to the property. The purchasers will only be asked to deposit from $25 to $50 on each lot, the balance to be paid when the deeds are completed. At the last sale in New Westminster this property sold like "hot cakes," and it is probable the sale to-morrow evening will be even more successful. The sale will begin at 8 o'clock sharp, and will be conducted by Capt. Clarke.

An Absurd Charge.

A Hamilton paper in commenting on the disappearance of the buffalo in the Northwest makes the following statement: We have never seen it stated in a government report, but we got it from a man whose informant was a prominent member of the Northwest mounted police that the force a few years ago received orders to destroy the buffaloes by every possible means, regardless of their ability to consume the flesh or to make use of the skins. The design was to deprive the Indians of this source of support, and to thus compel them to cultivate the land of their reservations. In the transition process some Indians may have been done to death, but the calculation was that it would be better for the majority of both whites and Indians to adopt heroic measures. The disappearance of the buffalo was thus the result of a mutual plan, and it would not surprise us to learn in due time that there was a secret agreement between the governments of the United States and of Canada to carry on this work of destruction simultaneously, so as to settle the Indian problem on both sides of the border in the same way.

The Hotel Scheme.

The Vancouver *News*, referring to the proposal to erect a large tourist hotel in Victoria, says: "A company has been organized in Victoria to build a hotel to cost $200,000. This is a wise step. The character of the hotels in a town has far more to do with its prosperity than many people suppose. Its influence extends far beyond the mere temporary enjoyment or contentment which a guest may experience in finding himself in a hotel of modern construction, where the *cuisine* is of the best and the attention shown to his wants by everyone, from the manager to the porter, is all that he could desire. To suppose that the city, containing such a hostelry, has derived all the benefits that can be obtained from a traveler when he has paid his hotel bill, is to make a great mistake. The effect of his comfortable temporary quarters may, and often does, bear fruit months and even years afterwards, when the traveller having occasion to refer to the place is unconsciously biassed in its favor by the good treatment he received there. Every resident in Vancouver knows how important to this city has been the fact that the hotel accommodation to be obtained here, is as good as the most fastidious person could desire, and the move just made by the people of Victoria is only another illustration of the truth of what we said the other day, that Vancouver's success in so many directions has been of great advantage to other places in stimulating their people to follow our example."

Art Notice.

Porcelain portraits of all sizes enlarged from photos. Have your orders left with George Bigger, 86 Government street. Eight different kinds of work of art.

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wee) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

THE TIMES' SPECIALS.

Wilkie Collins Reported Dead—Judge Bole in Ottawa—Stanley's Tour.

Forty-Five Deaths by the Great Landslide—Fire Caused by Electric Wire.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 23.—The Medicine Hat Coal Company is making vigorous efforts to sell its bonds here to build a railway from Medicine Hat to the mines.

A WRECKER RETURNS.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 23.—Davis Blain, president of the defunct Central Bank, was seen in the city this morning. It is said he has made some arrangements with the liquidators after his exile of many months to return.

CHANGE AT MACGILL.

Montreal, Sept. 23.—Dr. Drake has been appointed Dean of the faculty of medicine of Macgill in place of the late Dr. Howard.

A FIENDISH ATTEMPT.

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 23.—Several attempts were made to poison the family of William Derbyshire Mergen, by paris green thrown in the well. The poison floated on the water and frustrated the design.

POLITICAL RUMORS.

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—It is asserted by a gentleman, who should be in a position to know, that the Premier, who has been acting Minister of Railways since Mr. Pope's death, will award the vacant portfolio to himself. The most prominent candidate for it was Hon. Chapleau.

It is understood that Sedgwick, deputy minister of justice, will be offered the judgship in Nova Scotia equity court, occupied by the late Judge James.

SIR JOHN'S PRESENT.

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—From far away India there arrived at Earnscliffe last week a package containing two silver bowls of native Hindoo workmanship, sent to Sir John by Lord Lansdowne to remind him and Lady Macdonald of "Absent friends who do not forget Canada." These bowls each weigh forty ounces, are ten inches in diameter and about eight inches high, all lined with gold.

WANT MORE PAY.

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—The printers employed in the government printing bureau have forwarded a memorial to the Secretary of State asking for an increase of salary from $11 to $13 50 per week, and that they be paid for statutory holidays.

MR. BOLE AT OTTAWA.

Will Not Speak on Behring Sea Question.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—W. N. Bole, ex-M. P. P. of Westminster, is here. Mr. Bole, who is now a judge, will not express any opinion on the Behring Sea question. He says the value of real estate is increasing in British Columbia.

The latest report to-day from Quebec places the number of deaths at forty-five. Fifteen bodies are yet under the ruins. Sir Fred Middleton leaves to-morrow to examine the wreck, to make a scientific investigation and to make a special report to the government.

A special dispatch from London, England, says that Wilkie Collins, the author, died to-day.

LILLOOET ELECTION.

The Constituency Goes in for the "Good Things Going."

Special to THE TIMES.]

Clinton, B. C., Sept. 23.—The result of the Lillooet district election is as follows: John Saul, sixty-three; Alfred Smith, ninety-four; spoiled ballots, one.

STANLEY'S TOUR.

Winnipeg to Receive the Party With a Torchlight Procession.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Winnipeg, Sept. 23.—Lord Stanley and party will reach Winnipeg to-night. Elaborate preparations are being made for their entertainment during the week. The train arrives at half past seven and then His Excellency and party will be escorted to Government House by a mammoth torchlight procession.

The party spent Saturday and Sunday at Rat Portage, where an address was presented to them amid great enthusiasm.

PECULIAR FIRE.

Telephone and Electric Light Wires in Contact Cause Fire.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Winnipeg, Sept. 23.—The Telephone Exchange was damaged by fire to the extent of one thousand dollars this morning through an electric light wire coming into contact with a telephone wire.

KAMLOOPS NEWS.

Events Which Excite the People of the Interior.

A. J. Palmer, of the Salmon Arm Valley, who farms some two miles from the C.P.R. station, has forwarded by Mr. McKechnie a sample of early rose potatoes grown on his place. In size they are enormous; in appearance they are attractive; in cooking qualities they cannot be surpassed, and in taste they are—well, we are Irish, and our judgment might be questioned when potatoes are to be adjudged.

Dr. G. S. Girdwood, professor of chemistry at McGill University, Montreal, has spent some time in Kamloops, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Tunstall. The professor was much pleased with the situation of Kamloops, and the climate and scenery were unbounded sources of pleasure to him. He left highly delighted with his visit, and longing for the return of a holiday that would enable him to enjoy a repetition of its pleasures.

Budd Lyons, committed for trial on a charge of hating, on the 3rd instant, at Spallumcheen, unlawfully and maliciously cut and wounded one James Carson by stabbing him in the shoulder with a knife. The accused pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced to twelve month's imprisonment with hard labor.

Hegh Ross, who has the government contract for making sitelan walk, is now waiting for the machinery to arrive so that work can be commenced. The first test will be made at or near Ducks.

Thos. Clinton, of Spallumcheen valley, reached town Thursday evening and spent Friday in seeing the sights. He reports harvest over in the valley and the crops good.

Personal and Otherwise.

Cowichan Lake Hotel, Sept. 21.—Capt. Wardropper is about to place a steam launch on the lake at once.

Messrs. Lomas and Duncan, of Quamichan, have just returned from an expedition to the west coast, via Cowichan lake. They report that there are thousands of acres of first class land in that direction, not far from the lake.

Visitors here are: Mr. and Mrs. Kirkland, of New York; Capt. and Mrs. Wardroper and servant, Lieut. Brenner, R. N., retired; Messrs. Carmody, Chas. Gass, J. C. Mackenzie and H. March.

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A GREAT RECONCILER.

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES, who is now past four score, has made the remark that "death bears as pleasing a face to an old man as sleep to one who is tired." We may believe him. It is not difficult to believe that the instinct of life so strong during youth, gradually loses force with the advance of age, and is finally succeeded by an indifference to death akin to that of the tired man who longs for a chance to sleep. It is not in nature, that so soon as a man begins to "lag superfluous on the scene," that the love of life should continue to remain intense. In man's physical relations he is strongly analogous to the brute. The instinct which prompts the brute to slink off into a thicket to die, has its analogy in the man who, full of years, is content to abandon earthly associations and accept the grave with equanimity. Then, again, there is another feature of four score years which may tend to deaden the instinct of love of life. Few persons having attained three quarters of a century are free from annoying ills Decay of the vital forces having set in, great care must be exercised in the matter of diet, and exposure to the elements. So soon as a man has to taken care of himself has to nurse himself, to keep body and soul together, the charm of life is gone: he is no longer a free agent. The question is often asked how would it affect longevity, if it were established beyond question that there was no place of eternal torment. We question in such a case whether men would cling with less tenacity to life than they do now. Devout Christians reluctantly give up the world, while as to the spiritualists, who claim to know something about the beautific beyond, who ever heard of one of them in a hurry to shuffle off the mortal coil. It is notorious, in fact, that all believers in a hereafter cling tenaciously to life. Philosophy assists us to meet death with equanimity, but it is old age only which reconciles us to it. It is a law of nature.

JURIES.

While it is unquestionable that we are not prepared to surrender the right of trial by jury, it must strike the most careless that a modification of the jury system in some way is eminently desirable. Such is being made necessary, principally because everybody reads the newspapers. When juries first came in vogue newspapers were unknown. Ten men out of twelve in those good old days could swear that they absolutely knew nothing of the case they were to try. What was developed in the evidence was a revelation to them. Then again, in those days the individual stood for less in political and social matters than he does now. There was no reason why the individual should escape punishment or be punished to vindicate a certain policy, whether political or social. For instance, there was no occasion to hang GUITEAU in the interest of politics, but only in the interest of morals. In the CRONIN case however politics is involved, and it may be necessary that a vulgar murderer should escape to vindicate a political organization. The people in the time of ALFRED, and in fact up to within a comparatively recent date, were only indirectly interested in politics, whereas now they are directly interested. Hence we are not at a loss to understand why political reasons should interpose to screen certain classes of criminality. But probably the worst feature of the case as being difficult to remedy lies in the wide dissemination of news through the press. A crime is committed and the criminal is tacitly hanged, drawn and quartered, or exonerated, by the press inside of thirty days. We have said tacitly hanged, drawn, etc. We do not mean by this editorial utterances. We mean the tenor of the dispatches, correspondence and other gossip which passes to and fro. The MAYBRICK murder is a case in point. This murder was written up and written down before the principal was brought to trial, and the same is true of the CRONIN case. The man who has read the papers and has failed to form an opinion of the CRONIN case is certainly peculiarly constituted. Doubtless for all that has been written of the matter, those who have followed the case closely in the papers could render a fair verdict. The animus of the jury law, however, is not to disabuse a man of his opinion. Its object is to deal with a mind unbiased by any preconceived notions. Where a man has practically made up his mind, impartial as he may be by nature, the defence or the prosecution, has double work to bring him round. The old opinion has to be removed from his mind and a new one inserted. The mind of the ordinary man once partially made up even is difficult to change, when the evidence must be weighed with hair splitting nicety. The theory that a juryman should entertain no prepossessions one way or the other in the case he is to try is perfectly correct; it is the condition precedent to a just verdict. In civil cases it would be supposed that these might be decided as the discretion of the judges should dictate. Yes, but, objects somebody every man has his price, judges not excepted, and it is easier to buy one man than a dozen. Just so soon as the jury system is abandoned in civil cases the assault on the honor of judges will begin, and it may be taken for granted that a certain proportion of them will become corrupt. In criminal cases nothing is more certain than that the concurrence of twelve men is safer than that of one. The collective opinion of twelve men is less liable to be colored by bias than that of one man in the generality of instances. The correct theory is to err on the side of mercy, The murderer who escapes by a close margin of doubt is practically an outcast. The brand of CAIN is on him. If Mrs. MAYBRICK should be pardoned to-morrow society would give her the cold shoulder. Nor is it to be supposed that those who cried loudest for her reprieve would associate with her. She would cry out before six months that her punishment was greater than she could bear. The shadow of doubt hangs over her, not enough to hang her, but yet not enough to make her respectable. Outside of some few cranks who would call on her, she would be shunned as an unclean thing. But if we can see no reason why the jury system should be abolished, the more reason then why steps should be taken to modify the qualifications which are supposed to be inseparable from impartiality. Nothing of this kind will ever come from the lawyers. The present system is all in their favor. The man who can invent a jury system which shall meet the exigencies of the times will earn for himself a place in history scarcely less brilliant than that of ALFRED THE GREAT.

VILLIERS' VIEWS.

Mr. VILLIERS, the man who contributes to the pictorial features of the London Graphic, and who is now on his way to this coast in the suite of the Governor General, has been interviewed in regard to some matters and things of which we give the substance. As to what protection Great Britain would afford Canada in case of war with another nation. Mr. VILLIERS did not feel qualified to speak emphatically. He could not understand, however, that England could do much on account of the smallness of her standing army. The old idea that one British soldier was as good as three of other nations is exploded. "To-day number and equipment are the sole criterion." Speaking of generals, VILLIERS names WOLSELEY first, then SIR FREDERICK ROBERTS, then General BULLER and General BRACKENBURY. These men have been all more or less tried and there is no limit to their capabilities reasonably. We lost one of the smartest officers in General STEWART. He was capable of doing anything. Our generals can compare with the best in Europe, even with old MOLTKE. WOLSELEY follows keenly everything that is done in the science of war. His study is all overhung with maps of every move of the armies and portions of the armies in the Franco-German and other wars, and he has them at his fingers' ends." As to the situation in Europe VILLIERS concludes that Russia is a standing danger and the other powers are all looking to the northeast of Europe with fear and apprehension. Russia is a much greater power than we Englishmen are willing to admit. What Russia wants is Constantinople and India. By gaining Constantinople they gain India, as there are only Armenia and Persia to pass which will offer little difficulty. Once Russia has Turkey, then the Mediterranean will be a nest of Russian corsairs. Italy is as much afraid of such an event as Turkey itself and Britain. In order to be able to lay hands on Constantinople, Russia now follows the policy of keeping Roumania and Servia in a continually unsettled and unsatisfactory condition, so as to have a pretext at any favorable moment to march towards the Turkish capital.

Illustrated papers, says Mr. VILLIERS "were the most acceptable mode of conveying news and the most successful, and though there were already so many a first class illustrated would still find ample room in London. Taking as an example the New York Herald, which has been published of late in England, it was a grand success, chiefly because the editors of the already existing papers were getting over-gorged with success, and were becoming indifferent as to the quality of the work offered."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A bill, which is of interest to Canadians, is the Western Australian, which the British government will re-introduce next session. The purpose of this bill is to grant to Western Australia the same measure of home rule as is enjoyed by the rest of the colonies.

The Toronto Mail says bank charters expire in 1891, and in the new legislation the chief point to be considered next February by the Dominion Parliament is whether or not in the new charters the present system, under which the banks can issue notes, shall be continued. If it is not, the American plan must be introduced, and notes issued by the government, bonds being substituted for those now authorized. The Mail thinks FOSTER will not be guilty of the adoption of the rag baby.

In an interview respecting the establishment of a federal divorce court of Canada, Sir WM. RITCHIE said, "I have always lived in provinces where there is a divorce court. In Nova Scotia and New Brunswick there are divorce courts with, of course, a limited clause of divorce. I am strongly in favor of the establishment of a Dominion divorce court. Of course its scopes and extent would have to be settled. These are mere details. I would not make them as free as some of the United States divorce courts whilst I would gladly see such a court established."

The amount of water passing over Niagara Falls varies with the height of the river. Prof. W. D. GUNNING estimates the average amount at 18,000,000 cubic feet per minute. Allowing 62½ pounds to the cubic foot, this would give a total of 562,500 tons per minute, or 25,312,500 tons in 45 minutes, of which somewhat more than two-thirds passes over the Horseshoe Falls. Other estimates place the total amount passing over both falls as high as 100,000,000 tons per hour. In comparison, the recent flood at Johnstown was a gill.

When court opened on Wednesday morning in the CRONIN case in Chicago, 214 talesmen had been examined as to their fitness to act as jurymen. Thirteen had been peremptorily challenged by the State, thirty-three by the defence, 165 had been excused by the court for various reasons, and three had been temporarily accepted by the defence. Two new venires had been issued, each for twenty-five men, and the work of rejecting them was at once gone on with. The present prospect is that some of the defendants will die of old age before the trial proper is begun.

The diary of the famous Baron FRIEDRICH VON DER TRENCK, cousin of the notorious FRANZ VON DER TRENCK, which purports to be written in his own blood while a prisoner at Magdeburg, is now offered for sale at Leipsic. The diary, inscribed on 200 pages of an interleaved Bible presented to Trenck in 1760 by the Princess Amalie, sister of FREDERICK THE GREAT, includes, besides a number of poems and letters, various social, political and philosophical treatises, and a history of the prisoner's adventurous life, which ended in 1794 from the guillotine. He was condemned to death by ROBESPIERRE as a secret agent of foreign governments.

English noblemen are beginning to invest largely in real estate in Australia. The Duke of Manchester, who has paid many visits to the antipodes, first set the example, which has been promptly followed by Lord Rosebery and Lord Brassey. Lord Carnarvon, too, owns city property in Melbourne, and has an estate in Western Australia. But long ago Lord Sherbrooke, then Mr. ROBERT LOWE, barrister-at-law, of Sydney, had purchased landed property in New South Wales, some of which he still holds. When the gold fever broke out, however, his agent, thinking it presaged the ruin of the colony, put the larger portion of the property on the market, and it was sold at a sacrifice. Had Lord Sherbrooke retained it, he would now be numbered among the Australian millionaires.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until noon of Monday, the 21st October next, for supplying such quantities of the above-named articles as may be required for Navy purposes for three years certain from the 1st January, 1890.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.

Forms of tender may be obtained at this office on written or personal application, and samples seen at the same time. JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, etc.
Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 6th September, 1889.
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British Bark CAMELOT

FROM HONG KONG.

THIS VESSEL WILL COMMENCE TO discharge her cargo alongside Hall, Goepel & Co.'s wharf on Tuesday, the 3rd Sept., at 1 p.m. Consignees are requested to call at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and take delivery of their goods. Any goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p.m. of each day may be removed and stored at the expense of the owners. TAI SOONG & CO.,
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UNTIL NOON,

Friday, 18th October, 1889.

Terms cash, deeds of sale at buyer's expense. Sale subject to approval of a judge of the Supreme Court.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Administrator.
Victoria, September 13th, 1889. sep12-w1t-d2w

Certificate of Incorporation.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HEREBY CERtify that we desire to form, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1878," (Provincial), and amending Acts, a Company as hereinafter mentioned.

1. The corporate name of the Company shall be "The Pacific Shoe and Leather Company, Limited Liability."

2. The objects for which the Company is formed are:—To conduct a general tanning, leather, boot and shoe manufacturing business, and to carry on a general trading business, and to purchase and hold and sell real and personal estate for the purposes of the Company, and generally the doing of such acts as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects of the Company.

3. The amount of the capital stock of the Company shall be one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

4. The time of the existence of the Company shall be thirty years.

5. The number of the Trustees shall be three, and their names are William Smyth, Stephen Fulton McIntosh, and Arthur Heathorn, who shall manage the affairs for the first three months.

6. The principal place of business of the Company shall be in the City of Victoria.

7. A stockholder shall not be individually liable for the debts or liabilities of the Company, but the liability of a stockholder shall be limited to his proportion (based upon the amount of his respective shares) to assessments legally levied, and the charges thereon, if advertised as delinquent during the time that he is a shareholder, upon a share or shares of which he is the holder, as shown by the stockholders' register book of the Company; assessments and charges thereon, when taken collectively, shall not exceed in the aggregate the value in dollars printed or shown upon each share when issued.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals at the City of Victoria aforesaid, the 13th day of August, A. D. 1889.

WM. SMYTH.
S. F. McINTOSH.
A. HEATHORN.

Signed, sealed and delivered and acknowledged by the said William Smyth, Stephen Fulton McIntosh and Arthur Heathorn in the presence of H. DALLAS HELMCKEN, Notary Public, B. C.

Filed (in duplicate) 19th August, 1889.

C. J. LEGGATT.
aug23 Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

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PROCESSION,

—ON—

Thursday, Oct. 3rd, at 9:30 a.m.

Three Magnificent Arches,

Representing the Great Industries of our Country.

GRAND BALL

On Wednesday Evening, October 2nd.

Celebration to end with immense

TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION

On Fraser River Island

Grand Display of Fireworks

On Friday Evening, Oct. 4th.

Excursion Rates from All Points.

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J. S. C. FRASER, Treasurer.
sep7-td S. T. MACKINTOSH, Secretary.

GITWINTHGUL JIM.

An Indian Tragedy.

(Written for The Times.)

Very grave indeed is the history of Jim, matter that must be faithfully written to look true. Matter of evil passions in many, of blood for some. Not that Jim was a personage whose greatness was bursted like an eruption through society, with melting and distortion and ruin, much smoke and some fire. No, Jim had no wish to be other than the humblest citizen. Fame was thrust upon him unawares to his perpetual undoing; and every action in his history, save two, showed him disposed to make himself as obscure and remote as could be.

Everybody used to speak well of Jim. He had worked with the white men since he was a boy, first for years in the distant gold mines of Omineca, then at the salmon canneries on Skeena Inlet; and everywhere men spoke well of him. True he did some time ago shoot a fine hound before its master's face; but this latter had killed a cur of his own and a white man's hound is as good as an Indian dog anyway. Jim was a man of parts, could work well when he chose; could speak a little English and any amount of Chinook jargon; and made no pretence of being a Christian. This last was a virtue in the esteem of the white men, who knew a thing the good missionaries never can see, that all scoundrels look upon missions as their natural prey and religion a cloak in which they can hide their blackest and filthiest sins. So much is this the case that the laity have everywhere a strong dislike for religious Indians.

But if Jim was a very peaceable, good natured and trustworthy Indian, Mrs. Jim was an unmitigated terror, albeit she did not, up to the close of 1886, show her gifts, except in private, in which everybody should be devoutly thankful.

Not but that there were even then promising young discords growing up in the country, the Gitkshians and especially the Hagwilgets, (the same who had assisted at the killing of three canoe loads of women and children in a late dispute over a martin skin) were by no means pleasant people to deal with. The late officer of the H. B. Co. at Hazelton was by them worried to death, after having his prices dictated to him by means of revolvers levelled across the counter, and sundry innovations in the way of compulsory credit, &c., had made the post for years a dead loss to its owners. Then when his successor firmly refused to give credit, and stuck to his principles despite insult and injury for two years the Indians were not pleased.

Other things were disquieting their hearts. The old man who killed Mr. Yeomans died in prison at Victoria, and his people went about deerying his death as murder.

On the 15th October, 1887, ill feeling arose about the accidental murder of a little boy, and suicide of his poor little murderer. Missionaries must needs quarrel, and their people, taking sides, proceed to violence. Two persons were stabbed in a squabble at Gitwangak during the feasts of the winters 1886-7, and there were two murders at Kish kagaba, on the upper waters. There was all manner of evil speaking against everybody, and lying and slandering on general principles; and into the whole filthy brew of crime and quarrelling, selfishness and bad talk, boiled over at the coming of the measles.

For all these and other mercies, the Indians thanked the white people. And they still do thank us for all and sundry the evils of fever and consumption, poverty and vice, which accrue to them from heavy packs, wet feet, filth beyond belief, big feasts and bad hearts. On the other hand we white people blame the Indians for every reflex in them of our own faults, who do not see much else but faults to borrow from us. Thus does man bless with his presence a beautiful and opulent mountain valley.

But to our measles. The plague, the Indians said, came from the Hudson Bay store at Hazleton, where it was kept in a box under the counter, and sold to the Indians in the food. This was proved afterwards by the fact that no white children died, although they were all kept indoors warm and with plenty of medicine for mouths, on the pretence that they had the measles. Then the whites had the impudence to come to the Indians' houses and tell the people what they should eat, as if that mattered; and to try and stop them from travelling when they had the fever, as though they had nothing to do but sit by the fire. They even tried to prevent them from going to the great feasts, but they went, just to show them how little they were taken in by such talk. Just before the fever came, 27th Dec., the Hazleton chief had entertained all the white people at a feast, and this was their gratitude. They would be even yet—they would kill one white person for every death they suffered by measles. The feet of their being two hundred and forty deaths to avenge and only about thirty white folk to kill spoiled the arithmetic, but not the sentiment. Only three persons dissented in the general counsel in which it was decided to kill all the whites. This would have been very disagreeable for the whites, but for the fact that when an Indian is not quite roused to the act of murder he takes his full satisfaction in talk. The writer has passed many months at a time in communities under the displeasure of Indian tribes. Every day we heard of some new plan upon which we were to be ruthlessly massacred, and it got awfully monotonous after a time. Being alive is always more or less risky, and when one is to be executed every day by a new receipt the luxury soon palls on the taste.

Now, among the people that came to the feasts were the Gitzaguela, and of course Jim, Mrs. Jim and the children. Neatsk also, an old Gitzequela man, of the Guild of Doctors, came to the festivals. There are two secret guilds among the Indians, the Doctors and the Destroyers.

The destroyers seem to confine themselves to breaking property at the initiation ceremony, the which they have the pleasure of paying for afterwards and are comparatively harmless. The doctors eat raw kicking dog at the initiation, being made and raging after three days' fasting in the woods, and their function afterwards is to attend the sick and rattle and howl round the patient till he gets well, or dies out of sheer desperation. For all of which they do not pay like mere "Destroyers," but ale themselves amply paid.

Now Neatsk, the old Gitzequela man, uncle of Mrs. Jim, was a doctor, that is, he had been asked in the bush three days in the winter, had gorged raw dog raging about his village nude and bloody, and after this frenzying in the humane arts was a physician of an extensive practice of howl and rattle, and a dark repute for sorcery.

So Jim & Co., and Uncle Neatsk came to Hagwilget in December 1887. The fever, of which there had been three cases at the time of the Hazleton chief entertaining the whites, had now spread, and by aid of the Hazleton visitors found plenty of openings for business at the Hagwilget feast. There was the circle with its seats and its precedence, and the fire in the midst and the house roof above, and the fever at large among the crowded guests. Now, Mrs. Jim had a place to claim for her son, her half-breed son of nine years. That place was Neatsk's place. Her father, Hanamook, Neatsk's brother, was old and blind and his precedence do ended to his brother the doctor. But shifty Hanamook and ambitious Mrs. Jim had plotted that the precedence should belong to her half-breed and not to old Neatsk.

So with beating heart Mrs. Jim sailed in to carry out her plot and planted her boy in the seat of Hanamook. Hanamook was third chief of Gitzequela. Would the people accept the heirship of her son? Then Mrs. Jim retired to the background to wait and see. Presently in came Neatsk, and saw the halibreed in the chief's seat. Another moment and the boy was sprawling on the floor, bruised and crying, and Neatsk in the place.

That day Mrs. Jim affronted Neatsk to his face, calling him a sorcerer, and said his eye was hateful unto death. The old man fumed and blustered, and threatened. "You say truth woman, I will take the spirits of your sons!" Mrs. Jim went away chilled to the bones.

At the second feasting in the village of Kisspyox, the people were again gathered round in the circle of seats, the fire in the midst, the house roof above, and the fever at large. Again the woman led her son to the seat of the Chief Hanamook. Again the boy was sent bruised and sprawling to the floor, and Neatsk took the place. The row that followed this insult came nearly to bloodshed, and it ended in Neatsk being provoked to again threaten the "evil eye" and Mrs. Jim recklessly to defy him. You will perceive that Mrs. Jim was a woman of some strength of character.

(To be Continued.)

William's Cities Directory 1890.

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EDINBURG EPITAPHS.

Monumental Inscriptions Which Have Survived Two Centuries.

Mr. Thomas Kerr sends to the Rockford (Ill.) Gazette this inscription, which he copied with some difficulty from a time-worn monument in the churchyard of Greyfriars, in Edinburg:

Halt, passenger, take heed what you do see;
This tomb doth show for what some men did die.
Here lies interred the dust of those who stood
Gainst perjury, resisting unto blood,
Adhering to the covenants and law
Establishing the same; which was the cause
Their lives were sacrificed unto the lust
Of prelates perjured. Though their dust
Lies mixt with murderers, and other crew
Whom justice justly did to death pursue;
But as for them, no cause was to be found,
Constant, and steadfast, zealous, witnessing
To the supremacy of Christ their King;
Which truths were sealed by famous Guthrie's head,
And all along to Mr. Renwick's blood.

Then follows these words:

From May 27, 1661, that the most noble Marquis of Argyle was beheaded, to the 17th February, 1688, that Mr. James Renwick suffered, were one way or other murdered and destroyed for the same cause, about 18,000, of whom were executed at Edinburg about 100 of noblemen, gentlemen, ministers, and others, noble martyrs for Jesus Christ. The most of them lie here.

In the same churchyard I came across this, of date 1667:

Reader, John Milne, who maketh the fourth John,
And by descent from father unto son
Sixth Master Mason to a royal race
Of seven successive Kings, sleeps in this place.

Majestic man, for person, wit and grace,
The generation can not fill his place.

May I present you with another epitaph, which cost me no little time and work to make out. It is from an ornate monument, of date 1612, in the grounds of the Cathedral of Glasgow:

To Doctor Peter Low, the Founder of the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons.

Stay, passenger, and view this stone,
For under it lies such a one
Who cured many while he lived
Soe gracious he noe man greeved:
Yea, when his physic's force oft failed
His pleasant purpose then prevailed,
For, of his God, he got the grace
To live in mirth and die in peace.
Heaven has his soul: his corpse this stone;
Sigh, passenger, and soe be gone.

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JNO. FULLERTON.

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A SMOKER PUNISHED.

He Makes Himself Offensive and Is Quietly Handcuffed.

Monday morning I witnessed a sensational scene on the district railway, says the St. James' Gazette (London.) I got into the train at Gloucester road station. Seated opposite me were a pale, middle-aged lady and a slim youth hardly out of his teens, and a burly-looking squire, evidently up on a visit. We were going townward, and at South Kensington a thickset young man got in, who plumped himself down by my side. He had a lighted cigarette in his hand, and as the pungent blue smoke curled into the lady's face she coughed and looked distressed.

The youth said: "This is not a smoking carriage." "I'm not smoking," retorted the other, "and I dare say it will keep in until we get to the next station." "Tobacco smoke makes my mother ill and I must ask you to put out your cigarette." "I'm not smoking and I shall do nothing of the kind." "Then I shall make you," said the lad, whose face paled. He arose, when the other put out a fist, a single blow from which would probably have crippled that poor youth.

And now a singular thing happened. The burly squire, who had remained passive, quietly produced something that glistened and before you could count three there was a click and the young man with the cigarette was handcuffed. Said the burly one: "You'll pick up your cigarette and put it out of the window, and then you'll apologize to the lady and young gentleman for having brought a lighted cigarette into a non-smoking carriage. If you behave yourself decently I'll let you go at the next station; if not, I'll hand you over to the company just as you are, and they'll thank me for doing this little job." As the squire-detective finished the speed slackened and we rolled into the Sloane square station.

Before we left it the cigarette had been clumsily picked up with both hands and dropped out of the window. Muttered apologies were made, all that I caught being, "Very sorry—won't do it again—had no idea." The darbies were slipped off, the door was opened, and our compartment contained one the less. We tried to draw the "squire" between Sloane square station and Victoria, where he got out, but beyond a slight smile he would make no sign.

FALSE FIRE ALARM.

How an Innocent Old Gentleman Created a Good Deal of Excitement.

A Cambridge gentleman was asked to buy a ticket to the firemen's ball and good-naturedly complied, says a Boston letter to the Providence Journal. The next question was what to do with it. One of his two men-servants would probably be glad to use it, but he did not wish to show favoritism. Then it occurred to him that he might buy another ticket and give both of his servants a pleasure.

Not knowing just how to proceed he inquired of a policeman where the tickets were to be had.

"Why don't you go down to the engine-house?" said the officer. "The men all know you."

So the old gentleman went to the engine-house but when he entered there was no one in sight. He had never been in such a place before, but was perfectly familiar with the use of electric signals. On the side of the room was a button, evidently connected with a bell, and naturally enough, after waiting a minute or two he put his thumb upon it.

The effect was electrical in every sense of the word. From the air around him, at least, it seemed to the old gentleman in his bewilderment—men began to rain down, completing their toilets as they fell. The horses rushed out of their stalls, and, in a word, all the machinery of a modern engine-house was instantly in motion.

Amid all this turmoil stood the mild-mannered and innocent old gentleman, who, even now, did not suspect that he had touched the fire alarm. The men rushed upon him for information as to the where-abouts of the fire, but when he opened his mouth it was only to say, in the mildest accents:

"I should like to buy another ticket to the ball, if you please."

The situation was so ludicrous that no one could be angry, not even the men whose nap had been broken into, and the old gentleman bought his ticket and departed in peace.

Triple Lightning Strokes.

Some rather curious points which have hitherto been regarded as doubtful were tested by an assistant of Prof. Rucher during a recent heavy thunder-storm in London, and in one or two instances their truth established. One of these points was the assertion that every flash of lightning is in reality made up of three distinct discharges, following one another with such incalculably swift consecutiveness as to appear but one flash, even to the closest observer.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE WARNED AGAINST trespassing on Cloverdale Farm.

J. W. TOLMIE.

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to Tuesday, 1st October, at noon, for the erection and completion of ten (10) two-storey frame residences, together with outhouses, fences, etc., on lots facing Douglas and Rae streets, and Churchway.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted

JNO. TEAGUE, Architect.

sep11-td

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to Saturday, 21st instant, at noon, for the erection of two-storey residence facing southeast corner of Vancouver and Bellot streets.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE, Architect.

sep11-td

TENDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 4 o'clock on the 11th inst., for the erection of a two-storey frame dwelling house in Victoria West.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of W. R. Wilson, architect.

JOHN W. COBURN.

sep10-td

NOTICE.

JOHN W. KELLER AND S. C. BURRIS have this day entered into partnership for the purpose of manufacturing and dealing in Sewer Pipe, Tile, Terra Cotta, and other clay wares.

Office, cor. Yates and Quadra Sts.

Pottery Works, Constance Cove Road, Victoria West.

J. W. KELLER,
S. C. BURRIS.

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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED will not be responsible for any debts contracted in his name without his written order after 20th June.

THOMAS MATHEWS.

Victoria, B.C.

June 20.

NOTICE.

ANY PERSON IN POSSESSION OF THE Will of the late James Ward, of Cook street, Victoria, will oblige by communication with the undersigned.

J. HOLAND HEIT, Barrister-at-Law.

25th June, 1889. jy25

NOTICE.

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y Co.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual general meeting of the shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the second of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

Victoria, 31st August, 1889. aug31

NOTICE.

Union Colliery Company of B. C.

(Limited Liability.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual general meeting of the shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the second day of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

Victoria, 31st August 1889. aug31

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following islands situated on the north side of Lasqueti Island, Gulf of Georgia:

Two small islands to the north of S. cabin at, containing 20 acres, more or less.

One small island in the north of S. cabin at, containing 30 acres, more or less.

Two small islands in Tucker Bay, containing 10 acres, more or less.

MORRIS MOSS.

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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

BETWEEN

JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,

AND

JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C.J., appointing James C. Provost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

JAMES C. PROVOST.

Dated, Victoria, February 13th, 1889. m18

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the Standard Newspaper Co. (Ld.), are requested to send in their claims. And all persons indebted to the said Company are requested to pay the same to

R. A. BROWN, Liquidator,
Standard Newspaper Co. (Ld.)

Victoria, B. C., 4th Sept. 1889. sep4

MUNICIPAL.

COURT OF REVISION.

THE COURT OF REVISION WILL meet at the City Hall on Monday, the 23rd day of September, prox., at 11 a.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,

City Hall, August 22nd, 1889. a22 C. M. C.

"Land Registry Act."

BLOCK I, WORK ESTATE, LOT No. 427, E ½ of Lot No. 426, parts of Lot No. 200a and also Lot 200b, Victoria City. And the W ½ of the W ½ of Suburban Lot No 52, Esquimalt District.

Certificates of indefeasible title to the above hereditaments will be issued to Roderick Finlayson, on the 28th day of September, 1889, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said hereditaments or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General

Land Registry Office, 27th June, 1889. jy28-3m

GRAIN SACKS

75,000 Calcutta Grain Sacks,

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Two Bushels each, in Bales of 1000.

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LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situate on Cortez Island, Sayward district, B. C., described as follows:

Commencing at a stake in a clay about three-fourths of a mile east of Plumper Pass; thence running east 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south to the shore line of the bay, thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

sep19-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Shushartie Bay, Rupert district, and described as follows: Commencing at the S. E. corner of section 5 (Robt. Hunt's purchase claim); thence south 60 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence east to H. W. M., Shushartie Bay; thence southerly, following the shore line to R. Hunt's boundary; thence following said boundary to the point of commencement.

J. D. HELMCKEN.

Victoria, Sept. 18th, 1889. sep18-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tracts of land, situate at Dunsan Bay, Sayward district, described as follows:—

Tract No. 1.—Commencing at the northwest corner of lot 20; thence west 60 chains; thence south 75 chains to the place of commencement, containing 450 acres.

Tract No. 2.—Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot 20; thence east 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence south 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 240 acres, more or less.

JAS. KING,
M. KING.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tracts of land, situated on and near Graham Island, Queen Charlotte, and described as follows: The whole of Sewa Island, situated near the outlet of the Hoona River in Skidegate Inlet, containing 90 acres more or less. Also a small island a short distance east of the outlet of the Hoona River, containing 25 acres more or less. Also 200 acres more or less at the outlet of the Hoona River and described as follows: Commencing at a post on the shore at southwest corner of claim; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south to the shore, and along the shore to the point of commencement.

D. FREEMAN.

August 22nd, 1889. aug22-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate in Sayward district commencing at a post on the 50th parallel of north latitude, 14 miles west of Discovery Passage, thence west 5 miles; thence north 3½ miles; thence east 5½ miles, more or less, to the western boundary of Messrs. Ross & McLaren's timber lease; thence south ½ mile; thence west 1 mile; thence south 2 miles to the place of commencement. Containing 11 520 acres, more or less.

COLE SCOTT,
W. LADD,
L. CASEY,
J. KING,
M. KING.

sep10-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, J. N. A. Lemmens, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tract of land situated in Quatsino district, Vancouver Island, commencing on the sea shore, four (4) chains south of the most easterly house in "Quatsino" Indian village, Quatsino Narrows, and running north ten (10) chains; thence east two (2) chains; thence south to the sea shore, and thence in a westerly direction to the place of commencement. Containing two (2) acres, more or less.

sep19-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet, B. C. Commencing at a stake marked A, about two and a half miles below Kildalla Harbor (near White Slide); thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains, and thence running along the shore line to point of commencement. Claim located and staked Aug. 20th, 1889.

W. McDOWELL,
A. McNEILL,
E. A. McDOWELL.

sep5-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 DAYS after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described lands in Renfrew district:—

Commencing at a stake on Juan de Fuca Strait, situated between Muir Creek and Sheringham Point; running north 160 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 320 chains to the shore; thence along the shore to the place of commencement.

No 2.—Commencing at a stake, northwest corner of A. P. Bliss's claim; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 400 chains, to San Juan Harbor; thence south along shore of San Juan Harbor to Juan de Fuca Straits; thence along shore to A. P. Bliss's claim; thence north to point of commencement.

W. P. SAYWARD.

Victoria, July 31st, 1889. aug10-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 DAYS after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described lands in Sayward District:—

Commencing 80 chains west from Ross & McLaren's claim on Campbell Lake; thence west 400 chains; thence north 400 chains; thence east 400 chains; thence south 400 chains, to place of commencement.

W. P. SAYWARD.

August 10th, 1889. aug10-1m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for purchase of the above described tract of land situated at Rivers Inlet, described as follows: Commencing about ten miles below Hans Helgesen's fishery at Cockburne, at a stake marked A, thence running west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement. Staked March 10th, 1889.

ALEX. McNEILL.

Wannuck, Rivers Inlet, July 25, 1889. au5-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT 60 DAYS from date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in the Rupert district described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of the Indian Reserve at the mouth of the Nimkish River; thence westerly 440 yards; thence north 1760 yards; thence east 440 yards; thence along the western line of the reserve to place of commencement.

ALFRED J. HALL.

August 8th, 1889. aug19

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following lands in Queen Charlotte District, viz:—

1. A small island called Goat Island, situate in Skidegate Inlet, and lying south of Sheal Bay, containing 20 acres, more or less.

2. 1280 acres lying west of the old Seymour Coal Claim, on Skidegate Bay, commencing at the northwest corner post of the said claim; thence south 80 chains, thence west 160 chains, more or less, to Hue Creek; thence north to the shore of Skidegate Bay; thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

Dated at Victoria, this 31st day of July, 1889.

JAMES FELL,
JAMES DEANS.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, situated on Rivers Inlet, B. C. Commencing at a post marked "M.H.C." and "O.C.S." about half-way between the Wannuck Cannery and Kildalla river (near Little Round Mountain); thence twenty north 40 chains; thence nearly east 40 chains; thence nearly south 40 chains to shore line; and thence following the meanderings of the shore to point of commencement.

M. H. COWAN
O. C. SHAW.

Victoria, August 19th, 1889. au21-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease, for timbering purposes, of the following described lands:

Tract No. 1.—Commencing about ten miles east of Granite Point, Valdez Island, on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, thence running south 100 chains; east 160 chains; south 100 chains; east 160 chains to a bay on unsurveyed channel; thence north 160 chains along the shore line, thence westerly along the shore line 360 chains to place of commencement.

Tract No. 2.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel about two miles east of Discovery Passage; thence running 80 chains west; 100 chains north; 100 chains east; 100 chains south to the shore 40 chains along shore to place of commencement.

Tract No. 3.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel running 60 chains north; west 40 chains; south 60 chains; east along shore 60 chains to point of commencement.

Tract No. 4.—Commencing on a bay running 20 chains north; east 20 chains; north 40 chains; east 40 chains; south 80 chains to the shore line; north-westerly along the shore to point of commencement.

Tract No. 5.—On a bay on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running 20 chains south; 20 chains east; 40 chains south; 60 chains east; north 80 chains to the shore line; west along the shore line to point of commencement.

VICTORIA LUMBER & MANUFACTURING CO.

Victoria, June 14th, 1889. je21-2m

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND TO make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of land near McLoughlin Bay on the east coast of Campbell Island, B. C., described as follows: Beginning at the S. E. post of the Hudson Bay Co.'s claim, thence 20 chains west; thence south 80 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

JOSEPH HALL.

Nanaimo, July 24, 1889. jy30 3m

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May 6th.

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VANCOUVER AND QUADRA Lodge, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisguard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.

jy29 A. B. SILVERING, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No 120, G. R. B. C.—Regular Convocations take on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall Masonic Temple, Douglas street. Sojourning companions cordially invited.

jn1 1y W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend.

R. H. JOHN, K. of R. & S. oct9

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream at Steitz's.

—The Islander is being re-painted.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's, 111 Government street.

—Several good bags of grouse were made yesterday near Goldstream.

—New designs in dinner and toilet-ware, glassware, lamps, etc., at John Weiler's.

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—Ice cream delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery. Telephone call 161.

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—For the latest American designs in Upholstery. Try Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Sideboards that have no equal in design and price at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Large stock of new style carpets, curtains, table covers and plushes just received at John Weiler's.

—Tenders for the officers' quarters of C Battery will close on October 14th, says an Ottawa dispatch.

—The finest assortment of Bedroom sets for the least money at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Ald. Kelly's ice factory is running night and day manufacturing ice, which is being stored for future use.

—Campbell & Simpkins, No. 88 Government street, have received their fall goods. Go and see for yourselves.

—For want of bricks work was stopped to-day on the brick building at the corner of Trounce and Broad streets.

—Another carload of stoves just arrived for us. A fine selection of heaters at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St.

—John T. Pierre has received his first shipment of fall and winter goods. Go and see them at No. 96 Yates street. 1m

—The "Ideal Washing Machine." Best in the market. Sent on approbation. Price $10 at McLennan & McFeely's.

—Mr. Pickering, C. E., says the city of New Westminster could be given an admirable system of drainage at a moderate cost.

—The Annie Larsen's cargo of sewer pipes is turning out in splendid order. So far only three or four have been found broken.

—The Vancouver Foundry & Machine Works company, have given notice of its intention to increase its capital stock to $100,000.

—A couple of well known young men of this city are hunting deer near Shawnigan Lake and selling the carcases at 7½ cents per pound.

—A Douglas street candy man and his clerk went to Shawnigan yesterday and missed the last train home. This morning the store was closed.

—The Albion saloon, Yates street, has changed hands, Mr Johnson disposing of it to day for $2000 to Mr. Harris, of the Ship Inn, Esquimalt.

—Just arrived at Hastie & Lockhart's a large consignment of the very latest designs in Linoleums, Carpets and Mattings. Call before purchasing elsewhere 62 Government street.

—J. M. P att, representing the Oregon Improvement Company, has returned from Hornby Island, where he successfully "bonded" a large portion of the coal seams of that island.

—Largest stock of antique bedroom furniture, parlor suites and odd pieces, reed rockers, upholstery goods and house furnishings in the province at John Weiler's, 51 to 55 Fort street.

—Two Japanese who went over to Nanaimo on the Port Fairy missed the steamer and chartered a tug to take them to Vancouver to catch her.

—The Winnipeg *Sun's* Ottawa correspondent says Lord Stanley during his western trip may leave the Dominion, which interpreted by us means that a visit to Alaska is possible, but not probable.

—The Geo. W. Elder arrived from Alaska at 11 o'clock Saturday night and left at noon yesterday for the Sound. Her cargo consisted of 30,000 cases and 1,800 barrels of salmon and 100 tons of ore.

—The ladies of the Reformed Episcopal Church will hold one of their ever enjoyable conversaziones in the Sunday school room to-morrow evening. A good programme has been prepared and admission is only 25 cents.

—The grounds of A. J. McLellan, Gorge road, present a beautiful appearance just now. They are brilliant with beautiful flowers of every description, arranged in a most tasteful manner. As a specimen of artistic landscape gardening the grounds stand unrivalled in British Columbia.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Sir Wilfred Lawson, the well-known Liberal member of parliament and president of the United Kingdom Temperance Alliance, has suddenly been taken ill of an intestinal disorder and it is reported that he is dying.

The Rev. Mr. Spurgeon, the great nonconformist preacher, is suffering from gout. He is in a very depressed condition and says he must abandon the pulpit forever.

Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie returned on Saturday night from judicial attendance in Cariboo.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson returned Saturday evening from Vancouver, whither they have been in attendance at the Y. M. C. A. convention and guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Thomson.

Frank S. Barnard, M. P., has gone up to Cariboo.

Geo. DeWolf, of Vancouver, late secretary of the smelting company, arrived down on Saturday.

Gordon Brown, registrar of York, has gone east with favorable impressions of the province.

Henry Brown returned on Saturday evening from a two weeks' visit to Harrison Springs, where splendid trout fishing was found.

Hon. J. Lipsett came over from Port Townsend and left again this morning. Hon. is doing well and confident the Sound is the coming country.

J. Smith, the ever obliging purser of the Islander, is enjoying a brief vacation on the Sound.

Peter Armstrong, of Wellington, left this morning on a visit to friends in Orleans, Ontario.

Attorney-General Davie returned from Cariboo last evening.

Wm. Dee, of the telegraph office, and Mrs. Dee, returned from Vancouver last night after being in attendance at the Y. M. C. A. convention.

Mrs. Keith and Miss Finlayson returned last evening from a brief visit to Vancouver.

Joseph H. Thain, of the C. P. R. mail service is in the city.

D. W. Gordon, M. P., and Mrs. Gordon have left for Ontario. Mrs. Gordon's health is not satisfactory at present, and a change of scene and air is desirable.

Hon. Justice Crease is at present in Nanaimo holding County Court.

Mrs. William Raybould of Nanaimo has received word of the death of her sister at Brierly Hill, England, and also of the serious illness of her father. Mrs. Raybould will leave on Tuesday for England in the hope that she may be able to see her father before he dies.

A. R Johnson and Rev. J. W. Millar came down this afternoon from Nanaimo.

Elegant New Dining Cars.

Will run daily, commencing Aug. 22nd over the Oregon Railway & Navigation Co., Oregon Short Line and Union Pacific Ry., between Portland and Missouri River. The cuisine and service are unexcelled.

Resigned.

Officer Hughes, who has been on the city police force for the past eight or nine months, to-day tendered his resignation. He has been an efficient and popular officer and has many warm friends in the city.

Coming North.

San Francisco, Sept. 23.—The steamer Umatilla, which sailed yesterday, carried the following passengers for Victoria: G. L. Creswell, Mrs. W. Schoen, Miss Fuller, Mrs. Humber and Mrs. H. W. Heumerle.

Another Charter.

The British iron bark Tythanus from Astoria, was brought into the harbor this morning by the tug Sea Lion and anchored off the custom house. The Tythanus is under charter to R. P. Rithet & Co. to load British Columbia salmon for London.

Naval.

Admiral Hoveage inspected H. M. S. Icarus this morning.

The entire fleet to-day engaged in sail drill, and the vessels presented a pretty appearance with their white sails set.

H. M. S. Acorn and Icarus will leave in a few days for New Westminster and will remain there till after the agricultural exhibition.

For the North.

The steamer Sardonyx sailed for the north this afternoon with a fair freight and the following passenger: John Richards, of the H. B. Co.'s store, who goes north for a trip for his health; Capt. G. Odin for Fort Simpson; Mrs. Maynard for Fort Simpson; C. Harrison for Alert Bay; J. J. Driscoll, J. L. and O. L. Poudner for Skidegate.

Cowichan Mill.

The Cowichan sawmill, which has been idle for several years, started up a few weeks ago, and is now running at full blast. Mr. W. Clark, millwright of this city, is placing the machinery in first-class condition, and the mill will continue to work steadily in the future. It has a capacity of 30,000 feet per day, and the entire product can find a local market at good prices. It is proposed, we learn, to open a lumber yard in this city.

Will Sue for Damages.

While Mr. Moses, of North Saanich, was crossing Coulter's bridge, in that district, yesterday, his horse went through and was badly injured, in fact, all but killed. The attention of the government had been several times called to the state of this and other bridges in Saanich without any success, as the government was scheming for votes in some other direction, and Mr. Moses, it is said, will sue the government for damages.

Ran Ashore.

The steamer Yosemite, Capt. Jagers, arrived alongside the bark J. H. Hustede at half-past eleven o'clock this morning with 8,500 cases of salmon for that vessel and 1,800 for the Titania.

While off James island at nine o'clock this morning the steamer Michigan was seen ashore on that island. Capt. Jagers went over with the Yosemite and asked if any assistance was needed, when the captain of the Michigan replied "no." The Michigan left the mouth of the Fraser about two o'clock Sunday afternoon and probably went ashore during a fog.

Peculiar Accident.

A workman on the E. & N. railway line working near Goldstream on Saturday last, met with a painful accident, though no bones were broken. At the time he was standing on a log which rested across another log, the former with its half in the air. A falling tree struck this half and the man who was standing on the other half was thrown up into the air as if shot out of a catapult. An eye witness states that the unfortunate fellow ascended fully fourteen feet and came down with a thud severely shaking him up but not breaking any bones owing to his striking on soft ground.

Lord Stanley's Visit.

A meeting of the general committee of citizens having in hand the arranging of a programme for the reception of the governor general was held in the City Hall Saturday evening. Among the things suggested were a banquet and ball, a street parade, illuminated arches and general illumination of the city if His Excellency arrived at night. A sham battle was also spoken of with a programme of sports at Beacon Hill. A committee consisting of His Worship Mayor Grant, Thos. Earle, S. P. Mills, W. Dalby, E. B. Marvin, H. F. Heisterman, John Boyd and A. J. Smith were appointed to collect information and prepare a programme.

A Sunday Escapade.

The home for fallen women, which was established in this city some six months ago, has no doubt been the means of doing much good among that class of unfortunates. But it appears that occasionally some of the inmates tire of the restraint placed upon them, and return to their wallowing in the mire. And it is not to be expected that a complete reformation can be made in all who enter the home. Last night four of the women who have found a refuge there, broke loose from the home and went on a little jollification in company with some young men and had what one of them called a "high old time." In fact they proceeded to paint the town red and this morning two of them were observed on the street with sorrowful countenances and a repentant look. They will no doubt return to the home.

Cedar Hill.

On Thursday last a harvest thanksgiving service was held in St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill. The church was very tastefully decorated by Mr. and Misses Tolmie, Misses Peter, Misses King and others. The Rev. G. H. Marwood, R. N., preached a very practical and stirring sermon on Is. 9 3. Among the visitors from town we noticed Mrs. Rhodes, Miss Woods, Rev. Mr. Harrison, Mrs. O'Brien, Mr. W. E. Fisher and others. The offertory amounting to $31 20 will be given towards the moving of the old mission room from its present site. The refreshments in the Sunday school were arranged in novel style, rather after continental fashion, and were done ample justice to. We take this opportunity of thanking those who kindly provided the tea and cake. A very handsome gift of two chairs has been presented to the church by Miss Tolmie.

Comments at the Park.

A large number of people took a stroll to Beacon Hill yesterday. Some went for a Sunday walk, some went to hear the music but the great majority went to see the "destruction of the park," which they had heard so much about. As might be expected, many different opinions were expressed about the work. Some thought that "all this" was a great mistake, that a city park should retain its primeval beauty after the manner of an Indian rancherie. Others with a well developed bump of caution would not express an opinion till the work was finished. Others again considered that the work was being carried out systematically and they could show how a very beautiful picture would be evolved from the present state of confusion. Such as these applied a not very flattering proverb to the "kickers," namely, "never show a fool a thing half done." The drive to the heights, which is one of the most severely condemned features of the plan of improvements, will become one of the greatest attractions of the park, and as for the beautiful ferns, "the woods is full of them." There is no occasion for saving the ferns. Most people seemed to think, also, that those who proposed to disfigure the streets with tramway poles should not write too many editorials about the destruction of a few ferns.

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A NEW CATHEDRAL.

The Congregation of St. Andrew's R. C. Propose to Build.

At a meeting of the congregation of St. Andrew's R. C. pro-Cathedral, held yesterday after High Mass, it was decided to begin, in early spring, the building of a new cathedral on the plot of ground (180x120) corner View and Blanchard streets. The new cathedral will seat not less than 1000 people. The materials will be island quarried sandstone trimmed with granite. The estimated cost is $60,000. The selection of plans and style is left to His Lordship Bishop Lemmens and the clergy, who will push matters in order to have all in readiness for the spring. It is intended that the new building shall be a model of architectural beauty and when completed will be one of the very finest steered edifices on the coast.

A MEAN CHARGE.

Characteristic Break of Vancouver Firemen—The Flag.

The following appears in the Vancouver *News* of Sunday:

"A gentleman who returned from Tacoma last night says that in the firemen's procession there, while the Vancouver team marched under the glorious old "Union Jack," the Victoria company displayed the "Stars and Stripes." The Westminster and Nanaimo companies carried no flags, doubtless, because in the hurry of their departure they had overlooked the desirability of providing themselves with the same. But the action of the Victoria team will be condemned by every loyal citizen of the Dominion. These men went as the representatives of a British community, and if they were ashamed to show their colors, they should have stayed at home. One thing is certain. The people of Tacoma, citizens of the United States, would not appreciate such conduct. An American citizen coming across the boundary into Canada would not follow the example of these so-called British subjects and seek to hide his nationality. This is not the first occasion on which such craven-hearted conduct has been displayed by some of the people of Victoria, and it is about time that others spoke out in such a manner that there can be no risk of their being misunderstood."

In answer to this, a party from this city who attended the tournament, says: "To begin with, it was not 'a gentleman' who gave the *News* the information it publishes, because 'a gentleman' would not lie deliberately for the purpose of injuring another. The Victoria team were not 'ashamed to show their colors.' Two small Union Jacks, which Chief Deasy managed to secure at a late hour on the night preceding the morning on which he left for Tacoma, were carried in the centre of the reel of the hose cart, while a proper compliment was paid to the Stars and Stripes by placing them on either side of our own colors. So far as New Westminster was concerned the Royal City boys carried a good sized Union Jack on their hose cart and the Nanaimo representatives, who marched in the procession without a cart, probably did not consider they needed one. What Nanaimo did do was to march out in neat and pretty uniform which looked as well as any on the ground. Vancouver on the other hand was the only aggregation that turned out in its plain, every-day working clothes, the terminals not even wearing a Salvation Army suit. The spectacle of this small and very indifferent looking band in a parade that otherwise was remarkable for its glitter and splendid display can better be imagined than described. The exhibition of a bedraggled Union Jack on the end of a pole, did not improve their appearance nor save them from the unfavorable comment of their brother firemen or the thousands of spectators on the street."

The charge of Captain Lillie, of the Vancouver team, that the Victoria and New Westminster boys would not fraternize with them is not denied. The reason for this is said to have been that favors asked of the Vancouvers were gruffly denied while the other teams freely exchanged courtesies. Nanaimo and New Westminster received the use of either the Victoria cart or hose when they wanted it. It is also said that the Vancouver boys while in Tacoma, looked for justice from the judge and time-keeper from Victoria and they received it, but it did not remove their bad blood, which they take every opportunity of showing.

TOURISTS RETURN.

Notes of the Last Alaska Voyage—Sweet Charity, Etc.

The ss. G. W. Elder returned from Alaska at 10:30 p. m. on Saturday last with a full cargo of salmon, 30,010 cases, besides a miscellaneous cargo of furs, etc., 1200 tons all told, and 90 passengers. Weather during the voyage was wet with a few fine days.

FISHING AND MINING.

Fishing and canning have been very good this season, resulting in a good pack of something over 100,000 cases in S. E. Alaska. Mining interests at Juneau have not been so active, though some few good claims are being worked, but business generally has received a severe set back by the shutting down of the "Bear's Nest." Many people are leaving that section in consequence and it is expected that capital will be shy of investments in that section for some time.

THE U. S REVENUE CUTTER RUSH

arrived at Sitka, Sept. 12th, from Behring Sea, without any sealers. The Rush left Sitka the same day to search for a small schooner named the Alpha. The Alpha left Yakutat August 17th with 15 persons, whites and Indians, on board bound to Sitka. A schooner named the Sitka left Yakutat seven days after the Alpha and arrived at Sitka on the 8th of September. Thus the Alpha was out 26 days and grave fears are entertained for her safety, the more so as much bad weather had been experienced and the schoner was known to have been in a very unsafe condition. The Elder left Sitka on the 12th September as the Rush went out in her search for the missing schooner.

THE ANCON.

The Alki, Capt. Wallace, was at Naha Bay (Loring) engaged in saving all that is of value from the wreck of the Ancon. The ill-fated Ancon lies on a point near the fishery, and will, as long as she remains, be a good mark to guard other ships from a like catastrophe, and as she lies right on the shore is not at all an obstruction to navigation.

The Corona had touched at Naha Bay on Sept. 18th on her way north.

ICE PACK.

The Elder did not succeed in reaching the Muir Glacier this trip. She had to force her way up Glacier Bay, through the ice floes for twenty miles, until about ten miles from the glacier the ice was so thick as to become impassable, and the ship had to return to Bartlett Bay, much to the disappointment of the tourists.

SWEET CHARITY.

The tourists amused themselves by writing and publishing a paper on the return, selling the papers at 25 cts. per copy. The proceeds amounting to about $50 were given to a little blind child, a passenger coming down for medical treatment.

SHOT DEAD.

A sad accident recently occurred at Juneau while two young men were out hunting. One of them is named Prior, a former resident of Victoria. While walking through the bush Prior's gun went off and shot his companion, who was in advance, dead on the spot.

Hams. Hams.

New smoked hams, breakfast bacon, spice rolls, etc., at the Yorkshire Market. Prices the lowest in the city. An inspection invited. ly20-1m

The Pianoforte

Miss Laura M. Adams, teacher of pianoforte, 34 Cadboro Bay road.

Brunswick Hotel.

The best place in town to get a 25 cent dinner is the Brunswick Hotel.

Sudden Death.

On Saturday night, Wm. Hardy, a well known longshoreman was found dead in his room near the Philharmonic Hall. Deceased was 38 years of age and a native of Scotland. The cause of death was heart disease, for which he had been under treatment by Dr. Meousaughton Jones. An inquest was not deemed necessary. The funeral will take place at three o'clock to-morrow afternoon from Hayward's undertaking rooms, Langley street.

A NEW STEAMER.

The O. R. & N. Co.'s New Steamer for the Victoria Route.

A short time ago THE TIMES announced that the O. R. & N. Co. had decided to place a new steamer on the Victoria-Sound route. The new steamer, which is now being built at Portland, is named the Mountain Queen. She has her hull finished and upper works complete already. When completed the Mountain Queen will resemble the speedy steamer T. J. Potter, though she will be more substantial and devoid of an abundance of gingerbread work. A speed of 16 knots is guaranteed and equal to the Olympian in comfort. Everything indicates that the new steamer will be ready for launching by November 1st, and shortly after she will be brought around to replace the North Pacific which will ply on the Whatcom route. In conversation with the O. R. & N. agent to-day, the new steamer was expected here inside of two months.

COURT OF REVISION.

Meeting of the Court To-day—Appeals Considered.

In pursuance of the Municipal Act, 1889, a meeting of the Court of Revision on the municipal assessment roll for the year 1889 was held at the city hall to-day at 11 a. m. There were present His Worship the Mayor and Aldermen Vigelius, Kelly, Goodacre, Harrison, McKillican, Coughlan and Harris.

The following appeals were considered: R. A. Astrico, laid over; D. F. Adams, unchanged; H. Croasdaile, unchanged; F. S. Barnard, unchanged; W. Buckatt, improvement reduced to $1000; D. Banfield, assessment to be on the whole $1200; Mrs. R. Jeffroy, unchanged; Mrs. M. McKinlay, laid over until 24th; Mrs. Smith, unchanged; Mrs. Wonnacott, laid over until 24th; Hannah Trurern, unchanged; G. Bossi, reduced $300; A. Blake, reduced $50; J. P. Burgess, unchanged; Wm. Charles, unchanged; Mrs. C. Carey, reduced $175; Jno. Creed, unchang'd; J. B. Chantrell, unchang'd; also unchanged were H. P. P. Crease, Mrs. and Miss Doane, A. Clements, J. G. Fisher, S. Ford; R. Hall reduction of $100; J. Johnston unchanged; H. Jorand, R. J. Kaye and Mrs. G. R. Lawrence also unchanged; J. B. Lovell a reduction of $100; R. Williams unchanged.

On motion of Ald. Harris the court adjourned to meet to-morrow at 11 o'clock a. m., in order to enable the assessors to look over a number of the properties upon which reductions are asked.

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—A W Ruh, Miss Thorpe, Mrs Grimmitt, W C Anderson, E G Richardson, A D McKinnon, E Gabriel, J H Thain, J B Hill, M Laurent, J Lenz, Lizzie M Merrill, Joseph Dane, G N B Potts, G Sherratt, J B Kerr, Wm. Doe, Mrs Keith, W Powers, L Rogers, C S Baxter, T L Jackson, F Rochfolsky, E S Post, Mrs Laurent, J N Muir, F A Healey, C A Lebler, T Patton, Saml Graham, H Barnsman, J W Bennett, Mrs Doe, Miss Finlayson, W T Lavock, E E Blackwood, Miss Carmichael, A H B Macgowan, C Anderson, Geo Halliday, Theo Davie, Eliza A Mayo, L E Jarvis, Ed Colter, J C Gerow, W T Scoville, Mrs. M J Gerow.

DIED.

HARDY.—On Saturday evening, of heart disease, William Hardy, a native of Scotland, aged 38 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow, Tuesday, at 3 o'clock from Hayward's undertaking rooms, Langley street.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND TO make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase all the islands lying adjacent to St. John's Point, Hornby Island, and all the islands lying to the southeast of Hornby Island.

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City Hall, September 23rd, 1889. sep23

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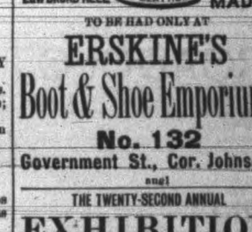

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Dancing in the Hall after 4 p.m.

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